IN THE DREYFUS TRIAL

De Clum Confesses All the Crookedness of Which He Has Been Guilty.

Acts Under Instructions of Chiefs of the General Staff-Cavaigner Gets a Copy of the Testimony-A Very Satisfactory Day for the Accused.

RENNES. Sept. 2 .- (New York World Cablegram. - I am informed on the best authority that Colonel Paty du 206 men will stay, most of those re-Clam has made the most sensational revelation, exposing all the crookedness of which he is guilty, in obedience to the direct instructions of his chiefs of the general staff. This was revealed to Major Tavernier, the commissioner appointed by Colonel Jouaust, president of the court-martial, to take Du Paty de Clam's testimony in Paris. where he lies ill.

At this moment, 11 o'clock at night. a meeting of the generals and of the principal satelites is being held in the house which M. Cavaignac, a former minister of war, has secretly maintained here as the headquarters of the inner circle of anti-Dreyfusites.

M. Cavaignac pretended to go to Paris after the fourth day of the trial. He really has been in Paris since the first day of Major Tavernier's examination of Du Paty de Clam. He has been pulling wires in the attempt to learn as to what Du Paty de Clam has been testifying

Cavaignac returned here last night. I learn that he brought, if not a compiete copy of Du Paty de Clam's testimony, at least a fairly explicit synopsis pon his return was issued the hurried summons which gathered the generals in his house. They are now discussing their plan of defense. General Roget's and Captain Cuignet's where in Luzon. The island was almean abandonment of him has defi- ways infested with bandits and was antly antagonized Du Paly de Clam. him have been vain. Du Paty de Clam's family has persuaded him to resign merous because the members of his commission in the army as soon as he has cleared himself of all responsibility for this crime against Dreyfus. So he has no fears, he does not care. That M. Cavaignae should have procured even a synopsis of Du Paty de Clam's testimony is in itself illegal. for the law says that testimony so alry operations. The insurgents have taken must be kept secret until it is none. One of their strong points is read in court. But M. Cavaignac risked a crime and called together the gen- airy could overtake and hopelessly

de Clam's revelations place them in

for Dreyfus. The Beaurepairs witness. Germain, who was to prove that Dreyfus attended the Asiatic maneuvers. utable witness while Germain himself. it was proved underwent two convic- of Americans, operating freely and tions for swindling. This was the only testimony against Dreyfus, the re- energy, could badly breaks up the examination in increase claim; is bemainder of the depositions being in his favor several of them being very weighty, as in the case of Captain Carvalho General Sebert and Major Hartmann their evidence going to show that particulars of the firing manual of the "120" gun and hydropneumatic brake were almost matters of common knowledge among the officers and that the contention that Drevius, from his special position on the staff and peculiar movements could be acquainted with them has no solid basis. This was the sum of vesterday's proceedings which were not marked by any unusual incident, the Roget-Brayere episode, in which General Roget clearly gave himself away, being the only matter which attracted special

GERMANS AND CHI'ESE CLASH.

Ultimatum Sent to Chinese Government

LONDON, Sept. 2.-A special dispatch received here today from Shanghai reports that serious trouble has occurred in the Kiao Chou hinterland between the Germans and Chinese, in which six of the latter were shot. The German minister to China, Baron von Ketteler, has handed an ultimatum to the Chinese government, declaring that unless there is security of life and property and order is maintained in the hinterland Germany will take steps to protect her own interests.

No Extra Session. ST PAUL, Sept. 2 - A Pierre (S. D.

special to the Dispatch says: The Populist the official paper Governor Lee in this city, today announces that the governor will refuse to call a session of the legislature to provide means to bring the troops from San Francisco. It also states that he rants, which means that state warrants of them will be for more than a short is better; thirty-three say that it is in the following caplegram from Cap-

CLEVELAND O. Sept. 2 - Another

riot broke out at 9:30 tonight on Central avenue, near Giddings avenue. A health department has received insmall torpedo exploded under the formation of one death from yellow World Cablegram-Special Telegram.) wheels of a Central avenue car, and fever at New Orleans. State Health -General Otis is arranging to begin a large crowd of foreign workmen assembled. They soon began to throw quarantine against New Orleans on week. The soldiers who have been asstones at the passing cars. Captain passenger and freight business to con- signed to duty in the composing room sent eighty-three men and boys on a Rowe and his men charged the crowd tinue indefinitely and all border sta- complain that as they have been orand clubbed it severely. As the riot- tions were notified to refuse admis- dered to set type they want typeseters broke away the police made ten sion to any person or freight from that ters' pay.

Looks Bad for Pears.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 2.-The whaling steamer Neptune reports that while making her way toward Hudson's bay she was caught in an ice and today will assume command of the floe half way up the Labrador coast battleship Iowa, relieving Captain August 21. This seems to indicate that Lieutenant Peary's steamer must be orders. At the same time the comhaving very unfavorable weather in mand of the Newark will devolve upon the arctic regions.

Six Hundred Lives Lost. YOKOHAMA, Sept. 2.-Six hundred lives have been lost by the flooding of

Shikoku. No Chance for Poor Man. WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Consul McCook at Dawson City reports to the state department, under date of July 8.

that no less than 2.000 persons have gone to the Yukon from that place within a month, bound for the most part for the Cape Nome gold fields. He says that "the poor man's chance, so Mr. John Edward Redmond, Parnellfar as this country is concerned, is

The great banking house of Baring has produced several peers; the preslife between society and business.

COLD STEEL ONLY REMEDY.

Whipped Into Sabmission. MANILA. Sept. 2 -- Of the troops

about to return to the United States the Kansas men will leave on board the transport Tartar, the Washington regiment on board the Pennsylvania SENSATIONAL REVELATIONS MADE and the Nevada cavalry on the Ohio. All these departures will occur within the next week. Eight hundred men of the Kansas regiment will return and 200 will remain at Manila, 150 of them re-enlisting. Three officers and thirty of the Kansans were killed and nineteen officers and men died from disease during the smallpox epidemic, while 122 members of the regiment

were wounded. Of the Washington men 875 men are embarking, while eight officers and maining enlisting in the new regi-

ments being formed here. One of the officers of the regiment was killed, one was wounded and one died from disease; twenty-four of the men were killed, 128 were wounded and nine died.

General Frederick Funston and Mrs. gone an operation, necessitated by an injury resulting from a fall from his horse while serving in the Cuban army with General Gomez. In the course of an interview Gen-

eral Funston remarked that he would not mind staying in Luzon. He dislikes war, but inasmuch as there is fighting he would like to remain and aid in bringing it to a close. Speaking of the future he said: "The only solution of the problem will be through whipping the insurgents. I do not think they will surrender. When we begin active operations against them on a larger scale in the autumn we will scatter them into small bands and I think when the soldiers composing these bands see that they are persistently pursued they will throw away or hide their arms and return to the pursuits of peace. A year hence small bodies of armed men will be able to go anynever safe for Europeans to travel in. Probably after the end of the fighting the highwaymen will be more nu-Aguinaldo's army, who have lived for years with guns in their hands, have acquired a taste for bush life and

would rather continue as highwaymen than return to work "Cavalry is greatly needed here. The country, when dry, is superb for cavtheir ability to retreat rapidly. Caverals last night. They knew Du Paty | scatter and punish them, and could subsist largely on the country. When cavairy is once here it should be given The day was a very satisfactory one a chance to go ahead and not kept in towns for guard duty. Our greatest successes have been gained when the regimental commanders have been allowed to quickly follow up the advantages gained in battle. Small bodies commanded by officers of dash and enemy. The capture of Aguinaldo by ing pushed so that very little time now cavalry would be a less difficult propo-

SPEAKERS ON TRUST EVILS.

chiefs in Arizona.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.-The following persons have been invited to speak at | June 9, 1893, which provided for a rethe conference on combinations and adjustment of rates of pensions pretrusts and some of them have accepted the invitation: A. J. Vanlandingham. Chamber of

Lindsay, Frankfort, Ky.; Hon. John G. der his administration. Carlisle, New York City: P. E. Dowe. tional league, New York City: Hon. T. S. Smith, attorney general, Austin. Tex.: M. M. Garland, president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, Pittsburg, Pa.: Hon. W. J. Bryan, Lincoln, Neb.: Hon, Edward Rosewater. Omaha: ex-Senator to the causes of delay in the adjust-W. V. Alien. Madison. Neb.: ex-Gov- ment of claims is presented, from ernor Alva Adams. Pueblo. Colo.; ex- which it appears that in nearly every full vent. For an hour before the time

CONDITION OF WESTERN CORN.

What the Outlook Is in lows and Ne-

braska. CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—The monthly crop report, published tomorrow in the Corn is recommended. Beit, says of Nebraska: In 310 reports seventy-five say the condition is excellent: ninety-five call it good: seventyseven say fair: thirty-three poor. An average of 185 reports estimate the yield per acre at less than forty bushels; 103 reports estimate the yield at

more than forty bushels. In lows the corn crop report covers forty counties. Thirty-five say the crop will refuse to issue emergency war- is excellent; forty-one that it is good; twelve that it is fair, and only two will have to be registered within a call it poor. As compared with the few days, but it is not likely that any | crop of 1898, fifty-nine reports say it

Fever in New Orleans.

AUSTIN, Tex. Sept. 2.-The state Officer Blunt at once ordered a rigid

Goodrich on the lows.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.-Captain C. F. Goodrich of the cruiser Newark has been detached from that command Terry who is ordered home on waiting Captain B. H. McCallan. It is expected Captain Terry will soon be promoted to the rank of rear admiral.

It is supposed that the average depth a copper mine at Besshi. Island of of sand in the deserts of Africa is from thirty to forty feet.

> For the Parnell Shaft. DUBLIN. Sept. 2.-In response to the invitation of the Irish-Americans who are co-operating in the movement to erect a monument in memory of held within two weeks to elect officers. Grand Union hotel by taking morphine. Charles Stewart Parnell, the foundation stone of which will be laid next month, the lord mayor of Dublin and ite, member of parliament for Waterford, will visit the United States early

Since the war in 1894 the Chinese ent head, Lord Revelstoke, shares his population of Shanghai has grown from 400,000 to 700,000.

PENSION ROLL IS HIGH

Gratuities Paid to Surviving Soldiers Show Increase for the Year.

Tear.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 .- The annu- per cent, are being all paid in gold al report of Hon. H. Clay Evans, the and at other important points the excal year ended June 30, 1899, presents as large. some very interesting facts in connection with the condition of the pension roll and the operations of the bureau. The pension roll is made up of 753,451 surviving soldlers and 237,415 widows or dependent relatives and 653 army Funston are with the general's regi- urses. To them last year was paid ment. General Funston has under- \$131,617.961, being \$649,496 more than ever before.

The average of each class of pensioners is also higher. The cost of bureaus, attorneys' fees, etc., brought the total expended up to \$138,555,052, being \$1,644,498 less than the appropriation.

year are classified as follows: General act of 1890, \$64,321,460. Fees paid to ed to \$24,115,934. attorneys were \$476,969, against \$730,-000 in 1898.

Total number of claims filed during the year, 48,765; allowed, 37,077; restored, 3,914; total allowances, including increases, 89,054; total claims pending June 30, 1898, 635,059; June 30, 1899, 477,239.

The total disbursements to pensioners since 1866 were \$2,389,910,974. During the same period \$15,490,986 went to examining surgeons, \$12,092,-178 to pension agencies and \$62,237,228 for salaries and other expenses of the

in foreign countries is 4,306, to whom is paid \$633,309. Of this number 2,139 reside in Canada, 415 in Ireland, 605 in Germany and 321 in England. There surviving daughters of the revolutionary war on the rolls. Hiram Cronk of northwestern New York is the only surviving pensioned soldier of the war of 1812. He is 99 years of age. The number of pensioned widows of the war of 1812 is 1,998. On account of 899 widows are pensioned. For service in the Mexican war there are enrolled 9,204 soldiers and 8,179 widows. June 30, 1899, the total number of pensioners was 991,519, being 2,195 less than

on the same date in 1898. The report says that considerable progress has been made in bringing up the arrears of work in the bureau. The work on original claims is procurrent and the work of aiding medical elapses between dates of filing and sition than the capture of the Apache ordering the medical examinations.

The commissioner reports the work in fer better condition than at any time since April, 1997, and it is believed that further progress will be attained by the systems instituted in the different divisions.

The commissioner calls attention to the fact that order No. 225, issued viously granted under the operation of order No. 164, is still in force, but he states that no revision of rates Commerce, St. Louis; Hon. William under said order has been made un-

president Commercial Travelers' Na- all classes were rejected in the bureau. A careful analysis of the causes of rejection of so many claims is given. showing that a large percentage of relowance of some kind is claimed. A full and detailed explanation as

Governor W. A. McCorkle, Charleston, case of unusual delay the fault lies

sion of the laws, rules and regulations waited, overrunning the state house

to persons who served in the confed- permit others to come in. erate army and afterward voluntarily enlisted in the union army or navy prior to January 1, 1865, and were honorably discharged.

Resignation Rumor Confirmed WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.-The navy department has received official confirmation of the Associated Press dispatches announcing the resignation of President Figuero of Santo Domingo. "President Figuero resigned at 4 o'clock yesterday.'

Otis Will Print a Paper. MANILA. Sept. 1 .- (New York the publication of a newspaper next

Natives Forced to Bet're.

MANILA. Sept. 1.—Dispatches just eceived from Cabu announce that the American troops under Colonel Bayless with two field pieces, sallied, on Monday into the hills, against a band of natives, who recently ambushed four of our soldiers, and who have been generally troublesome. The American force found the natives entrenched and drove them from their trenches further into the hills. There were no casualties on the American side, though there were some heat prostrations. The natives' loss is not

Coal Trust in Formed. CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 1.-The Pittsburg rail coal mine combination Coal company and its capital stock caused him to end his life. is \$64,000,000. It owns the coal properties of 104 of the 107 firms in the business, has practically absolute control of the docks and coal loading chamber of deputies today rejected a plants on the great lakes and has a motion to revise the constitution, the monopoly on all the outlets to the vote standing 59 against 31. The mo-

TREASURY IS FULL OF GOLD.

of the Department. WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.- Yesterday's treasury statement shows that

the amount of net gold on hand was \$247.880,601. This is the largest amount on hand at one time in the history of the department, the next largest amount having been \$246,873,-026, on December 31, 1898. This situation is accounted for by the fact that during the last two weeks or more, the revenues of the government, of which from 80 to 90 per cent are paid in gold, have largely exceeded the expenditures. At New York the customs receipts,

with the exception of from 8 to 10

commissioner of pensions, for the fis- cess of gold has been nearly or quite The receipts today exceeded the expenditures by \$1,460,668 and for the and did not reach New Brighton, Pa., month the excess amounts to nearly \$4,500,000. Since July 1, however, a of Pennsylvanians met the regiment deficit is shown of \$4,036,658. The to- at that point and welcomed the memtal receipts for the month are \$49,978,- bers home. 173, of which \$20,546,697 came from

enue and \$5.194.437 from miscellaneous sources The expenditures amount to \$45.-518,000, of which \$14,981,000 war charged to the war department, \$4.-598,000 to the navy, \$13,130,000 to pensions and the remainder to civil and The payment for pensions for the miscellaneous interest and Indian accounts. For August last year, the paylaw. \$71.115.703; Spanish war. \$28,606; ments to the war department amount-

customs, \$24,327,039 from internal rev-

NATIVES RULE THEIR OWN TOWNS

eneral Lawton Extends Privilege of self-Government to Fil pinos.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—General Lawton's course in extending municipal government in the Philippines is explained in detail in Manila newspapers just received at the war department. They state that the general has made a tour of many towns along the line of his division, including Santa Anna, Pandacan and San Felipe, and The number of pensioners residing has established in each a complete system of civil government. The inhabitants of the towns are to have entire charge of affairs according to General Lawton's system. The general called are four surviving widows and seven before him the principal men of the towns and after pointing out the general purposes and desires of the American government had the natives designate a mayor, vice mayor and head men for the several wards. General Lawton explained to the inhabitants that the United States government did the Indian wars 1,568 soldiers and 3,- not wish to meddle at all with the local affairs of the people and they were told to proceed with tax levies, to start schools and public improvements and to establish such civil offices as they

The people were told that the tax money was to be expended at home and none of it was to be contributed to the general government. General Lawton also established the first civil government at Balinag. Senor Guerrero being installed as captain general. Local governments also have been put in force at Bacoo, Paranac and Las

LINCOLN HONORS HER BOYS.

Great Crush of People at the State House Hurrahs for the Boys. STATE HOUSE, LINCOLN, Neb., 1.-Lincoln people turned out rived from San Francisco. The citi- and the regiment in chorus gave the zens of Lincoln and all the state for 100 miles on either side of the line of travel of the regiment testified by their | were chums in the Philippines, and presence in immense crowds to the pride the state feels in the regiment as a whole. It remained for Lincoln to show last night that she has a personal and possessory pride in Company

D. the company which went from the The crush of men, women and children at the state house was a new experience to even those who had who thought that the feelings of the people had been then and there given set for the opening number of the prowith claimants or their attorneys and gram the corridors of the state house were filled with hundreds, anxious to In order that the present complex get within seeing or hearing distance system of pensioning may be simpli- of the stands from which speeches fied and to secure a more uniform were to be made. To not more than practice in the future the appoint- one in a hundred who came was this ment of a commission on the revi- a possibility, and still the crowds lawn and waiting in the vain hope Legislation is suggested extending that somebody who had been favored the benefit of the acts of June 17, 1890. with a good place would leave it and

Quotas of State Filled. WASHINGTON. Sept. 1 .- Adjutant General Corbin said today that there | wife will reside at Fort Meade. were less than 100 appointments of volunteer officers yet to be made and they belonged mainly to the states of Wisconsin, California and Ohio. The quotas of the other states are practically full. The president has made a small list from which the remaining regimental appointments will be made much the same, and eleven that it is tain Longnecker of the New Orleans: and it is expected that the result will be announced in a few days.

Anxions to Enlist. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.-Both the army and navy recruiting offices in St.

Louis are besteged daily by applicants for enlistment and the officers in charge are securing all the men they special train for the Mare Island navy yard. The men and boys in this contingent were enlisted as landsmen and apprentices, respectively.

No Antions for Lad es. NEW YORK, Sept. 1.-Mrs. Alexander Giddings of Cleveland has written to the Dewey reception executive committee, as commander of the "White | Escort" of Cleveland, asking for a place in the line during the parade She describes her command as consisting of "184 young ladies, all dresses, in pure white, and carrying bright silk flags." The letter was forwarded to General Roe, who has charge of the make-up of the land parade. General Roe said the other day that only mill-

Lumberman Kills II mee f. CHICAGO, Sept. 1 .- F. A. Rowland, a lumberman from Cincinnati, comhas been formed and a meeting will be mitted suicide this afternoon in the The new corporation is the Pittsburg Financial reverses are said to have the relation of Captain Fenton and

tary organizations would have a place

in the line.

Suffrage Bas a Setheck. a universal suffrage bill.

The Tenth Pennsylvania, After Much Delay Arrives.

PITTSBURG. Aug. 29.-The Tenth which was expected in Pittsburg at 9:30 o'clock vesterday morning, was delayed on the road nearly five hours until after 12 o'clock. A committee

for breakfast and at 1 e'clock started | tion. for Pittsburg. It arrived here at 2

President McKinley was notified of the detention and did not leave the residence of Mr. Pitcairn until nearly 1 o'clock, when he entered a carriage and was driven to Allegheny, where he took his place in the parade.

and mighty chers from hundreds of thousands of throats, the brave Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers were weiyear's gallant service in the Philippines. The reception tendered the returning soldiers will always be remembered in this city as one of the greatest demonstrations of patriotism that has ever taken place in this country. A fund of \$55,000, donated by the generous citizens of Pittsburg and the surrounding towns, permitted the age. committee which had the affair in charge to make lavish preparations for the home-coming, and nothing was who was denied the privilege of marching at their head when they returned home to receive the plaudits of grateful people.

CHEERS FOR THE BOYS.

Sebraska's First Comes in for

an ovation. When the Nebraska regi-Philippine yell several times. The several times the Utah men shelled the jungles, driving the insurgents back while the Tenth slept after a battle.

ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.

pital Nurse.

LEAD, S. D., Aug. 29.-There was a mantic weeding in this city Saturday, in which a returned soldier of Fort Meade took the important part. Ernest Bender is first sergeant of froop I, First cavalry, and in one of the severe battles in Cuba he received a dangerous bullet wound through his lungs. As soon as he was able to be moved he was sent to the Believue hospital. where he was nursed back to life by a young lady nurse by the name of Miss Christina Neff of Brooklyn. A mutual regard sprang up between the sick soldier and the nurse. On yesterday's train from the east Miss Neff arrived and was taken to a friend's place in city by the devoted soidier boy and a happy wedding was the result. The first sergeant and his

MAY COME TO NEBRASKA

that President McKinley has not defduring the week of September 11.

Nine Lives Crushed Out. CHICAGO, III., Aug. 29.-Twelve iteel arches, each weighing thirtythree tons, which were to have supported the superstructure of the Coliseum building, in course of erection on Wabash avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, fell to the ground yesterday. It is known that nine lives were crushed out. Two bodies of two men are supposed to be under the wreckage. Seven are in the hospital with injuries received in the accident and of these four will surely die, one may possibly recover, and the balance, ten in number, are for

Caban Widow Seeks Demages. HAVANA, Aug. 29.-Advices from Cienfuegos indicate that there is much discontent there over the decision of the court-martial that inquired into Lieutenant Catlin to the collision in June between the Cienfuegos police ings for damages.

under the water.

Ever Seen in Pittsberg Can Whistles Shrick and Flag Wave-A Speech by the President.

regiment. Pennsylvania volunteers,

of the Largest and Most En-

o clock.

With cannon booming, bells clangcomed home today, after more than a left undone that would show the to make the day one of supreme hapled the boys in all of their battles and away. The loss is about \$800. shared in all of their suffering, but

Share of It. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 29.-The president's speech here was received with tumultous applause, especially with every reference to the gallant Tenth. When the speaker enumerated the several regiments entitled to special honors, the boys of the Tenth took a hand in the cheering. As each regimen: was mentioned the soldiers showed their delight in prolonged ap- thousand dollars and the cash is in plause. The Twentieth Kansas (Col- sight. onel Funston's regiment) came in for ment was mentioned the boys could with difficulty be stopped, but the Utah battery's name literally sent the last night when the First regiment ar- boy's wild. Cheer after cheer went up Utah battery and the Tenth regiment

outh Dakota Trooper Marries His Hos-

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.-The fact initely postponed his trip to the western states gives ground for the impression that he will arrange to attend the reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic at Lincoln and be present at the reception to be tendered the First Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn received a letter of invitation from Hon. John Evans, departmental commander of the Grand Army of the Republic of raised several feet. It is expected that Nebraska, and Hon. C. O. Whedon, the improvements made and additional started at once to Long Pine for medchairman of the reception committee, machinery added will increase the ical aid, but he died in a few minutes. to be present at Lincoln during the week of September 11-16. To both letters Secretary Meiklejohn wrote ac- this year largely increase its produc- doubt as to his guilt of the crime

the greater part seriously injured.

and the civilian employes of the quart- telegraphed wealthy relatives in BRUSSELS, Sept. 1.—The Belgian ermaster's department. The widow of Cmaha for assistance. He was picked place and went up to see. The house Senor Pablo Santa Maria, the wealthy up by the section foreman at Berks was burned and the ashes of the old Spanish planter, who was wounded in and brought to Crete on a handcar. the affray and died shortly after, has He gave his age as nineteen years. coal markets of the east, west and tion was intended to pave the way for retained a lawyer to institute proceed. Several boy companions witnessed the

COLUMBUS, Neb., Sept. 2.-A 15- norse trade which has culminated in

year-old son of Carl Mayberger, a well- the arrest of Emerson upon the comto-do farmer living near O'Conee, was drowned in the Loup river while engaged with others in seining. He got into quicksand and before assistance could reach him he had been drawn

Tweifth Indiana Cavalry Reunion. LINCOLN, Sept. 2.-Jerome Shamp, resident of the Twelfth Indiana Cavalry association, has sent out notices for the annual reunion of that regiment at South Bend, Ind., on Wednesday and Thursday, September 27 and 28. Nebraska members of the association are requested to be present.

Brikeman Badly Crushed. CLAY CENTER. Neb., Sept. 2 .-Charles Blake, a brakeman on the Kansas City & Omaha railroad, was crushed between two freight cars while trying to make a coupling at this place. He was taken to his home The train stopped at New Brighton in Fairfield and is in a critical condi-

Burglars Operate at Stanton. STANTON, Neb., Sept. 2.-The groc- tured. ery store of J. M. Mitchell at this place was broken into, and about \$50 worth of goods were carried away. The robbers gained entrance to the store by prying open a window from the top, after first cutting away the wire ing, whistles shricking, flags waving screen. There is no clue by which the parties can be identified.

Farmer's Neck is Broken SUTTON, Neb., Sept. 2.-While Will Robinson, a farmer living south of town, was hauling a load of shelled corn, his team became frightened at some pigs in the weeds by the road-They gave a sudden leap and Robinson was thrown to the ground, breaking his neck. Mr. Robinson was about twenty-two years of

Farm Horse Destroyed. RUSVILLE, Neb., Sept. 2.-The living "Fighting Tenth" how well its services | about fifteen miles southwest of Rushfor the country in a foreign land were | ville, was burnt to the ground and appreciated by the residents of its everything consumed in the flames native state. The only thing lacking except a couple of tables and chairs. The fire is a complete mystery and it piness was the absence of brave and occurred while Grossenberg was workwell beloved colonel Hawkins, who ing on the farm of a neighbor, a mile

> Finds Onion Ra sing Profitable. onions in large quantities for market in northwest Nebraska is a new vena patch of fifteen acres of bottom land onions, swimming and fishing. That rying a gun. army of boys made the crop, and now Weir has nearly a carload of the choicest large white onions to the acre and expects the market to yield him nearly \$1 a bushel. It is a new industry here, that many farmers next year will follow. Weir has made a few

Souvenir Flags Civen Away. OMAHA. Sept. 2 -- Cadet Taylor, surveyor of customs for the port of Omaha, and father of two officers in the First Nebraska, and who went to San Francisco to meet the regiment when it arrived and remained with it until it came to Omaha, expresses regret that when the cars bearing the Thurston Rifles to the city Wednesday morning and while the soldiers were at breakfast people tore off the bunting that was stretched along the car and carried away the flags that the members of the company bought at San Francisco to be put in the armory as souvenirs of the trip. About onethird of these flags were taken from an old soldier, having served in the the cars. It is understood, of course, that those who took them wanted them as relies, but it is not thought that they can get the satisfaction out the Lander post, Grand Army of the of them that the members of the Rifles | Republic. and their friends could if they were in the armory, and therefore it is requested that they be delivered at the

Norfolk Beet Sugar Factory NORFOLK, Neb. Sept. 2 - The factory of the American Beet Sugar company at this place is now on the eve of its ninth annual "campaign," as it is called. Since the factory finished grinding last winter extensive improvements have been made. mencing last May a force of fifty men was put to work enlarging the grinding capacity of the plant. Six weeks ago fifty additional hands were added to the force and the improvements and repairs are being rushed with the intention of completing the work by the 10th of September. The factory has heretofore been rated as a 350-ton plant. Several times during the last campaign, however, the factory consumed as high as 370 tons of beets in twenty-four hours. To give the plant an increased output, a new second carbonation press and a new crystallizer have been added and the two vacuum pans, weighing nearly twenty-three tons, each raised six feet. All the machinery in what is known as the finishing end of the factory has also been grinding capacity of the factory to 400 Mr. Grandstaff had always borne a tons, which means that Nebraska will good reputation and many express tion of beet sugar.

Loup Valley Veterans. GREELEY CENTER, Neb., Sept. 2. -The reunion of the Loup valley veterans closed here Friday and was very pleasant and successful throughout. The crowd was not as large as was expected, owing, no doubt to the fact that many are busy thrashing. All the speakers were present to fill their places on the program with the exception of Congressman W. L. Stark He was to have spoken but his private secretary. Mr. Burr, took his place. County Superintendent O'Malley made the address of welcome. Rev. Mr. Britt of Omaha then spoke,

Injured While Boarding a Train. CRETE, Neb., Sept. 2.-Edward Da-

vis, a tramp trying to beat his way from Denver to Omaha, was badly intrain about three miles from Crete on accident.

Charged With Borne Straling YORK, Neb., Sept. 1.-Herman Emnerson and George Bartholomew, two old settlers of this county, have become involved in a controversy over a plaint of Bartholomew and the charge s horse stealing.

Arrested for Forgery. FULLERTON, Neb., Sept. 1 .- Findey Sinclair of this city was arrested at Columbus charged with forging the name of Robert Nesbet to a note for \$40 and afterward selling same to John Edgington. He was brought back by Sheriff Leach and lodged in jail to swait trial. Mr. Nesbet is a prosperous farmer living two miles south of

Fatally Hert in a Runaway. NORTH BEND, Neb., Sept. 1 .-Thomas Gaughn, aged 20, while returning home last night, was thrown from his wagon and seriously hart. He has been unconscious ever since. It seems that he had got within about eighty rods of his home when the tongue came down and started the horses to run, throwing him to the ground and striking on his head. It is feared that the skull has been frac-

Albion Mills Burned. ALBION, Neb., Sept. 1.-The Albion Milling company's building took fire about 11 o'clock at night and the mill building, machinery, stock and office were entirely consumed. The elevator and engine room were saved with little loss. The origin of the fire is a mystery and everything was apparently secure when the men finished work and went home at 10 p. m. The loss is about \$20,000, with about twothirds covered by insurance.

Mourning at Grand Island. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 1-The remains of Frank Neptune, late a member of the Colorado regiment which has just returned from Manila, arrived in this city and was interred here, where his parents reside. Death took place at the Presidio after the arrival of the regiment in this country. He was very highly thought of by his fellow soldiers and a military service. with all the honors, was held at San Francisco, before the remains were sent to this city.

shot Dead in a Quarrel. STANTON, Neb., Sept. 1.-As a re-CHADRON, Neb., Sept. 2-Raising sult of a quarrel, Andrew Johnson, Sr., was shot and instantly killed by Oliver Anderson, his half brother. Johnson ture made this season by Arthur Weir, nad been Anderson's guardian, both a young printer, who left Chadron in this country and in Sweden. Both and went down to Gordon and rented | men had been drinking when the quarrel came up over matters relating to that is under the irrigation ditch and the guardianship. In the first melee, well tilled. Mr. Weir then put it all Anderson received a bad gash in the in onions, and hired a horde of town leg, when the men were parted. They boys to spend a month weeding met again, shortly after, Johnson car-

> Brakeman Run Down by a Train. PENDER. Neb., Sept. 1.-W. S. Sunderlin, who home is at Lincoln, a brakeman on the Chicago, St. Paul. Minneapolis & Omaha road, was killed at this place by being struck by the last freight going north. He was a nember of the train crew of a special freight which had some switching to lo here before the train which killed him was due, and he was sent a little way south of town to flag the fast treight. It is supposed he fell asleep on the track while waiting.

Death in Runaway NIOBRARA, Neb., Sept. 1.-As John Bearn and Frank Pavelka, Sr., were returning from the latter's farm the team became frightened and ran RESTOF MANKIND through a deep rut in the road, throwing both violently to the ground. Both were severely injured. Mr. Bearn is ling in a critical condition at his home in Verdigre. Frank Pavelka, Sr., was Sixth Minnesota volunteers, and was puried in the soldiers' lot in Eau Qui. THE UNIT OF MEASURE WITH US Court county, under the auspices of

Thieft of Brass. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 1.— \$1.50 a Year, on a sidetrack at Oconee, between Columbus and Norfolk, the brass around forty pairs of wheels was removed. The consequence was that when these cars were taken and pulled a few miles the journals were ground down and the cars had to be sidetracked to But our limit of usefulness is not cirwait for repairs. These brass fittings weigh from eight to ten pounds each. so that the steal amounted to about 280 for the thief. The loss to the comcany is considerable more. The loss of the brass, the damage to the journals and the labor of repairing will Sample Copies sent free to any address amount to about \$800.

Farmer Commits Suicide. LONG PINE, Neb., Sept. 1.-John Grandstaff, an old and well known resident of Rock county, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. He was arrested recently on a charge of incest, and it is supposed the disgrace preyed on him so heavily that he was unable to endure it. Two neighbors, John Talbot and Eugene Weeks, were at his home when he drank the fatal charged.

Threshing Machine Accident. LEIGH. Neb., Sept. 1.-The chapter of threshing machine accidents that have happened in this vicinity should make this a good field for accident insurance agents. Saturday last George Hansen, in attempting to put on a belt while the machine was in motion had his band caught in the belt and drawn between a couple of pulley and several bones in the wrist broken and the musdes baddy bruised. Monday Ed riyland had the flesh torn from the inside of his right hand in the cylinder of Diattner Bros., outfit, indicting a very painful wound.

Thought to Be Case of Stieide. HAYES CENTER, Neb., Sept. 1 .-An old man by the name of Neimberger, who lived about ten miles south of Hayes Center, was burned to death Sunday night. No one knows how the jured while trying to jump a freight | fire started. Monday morning Jake Kline a neighbor living near the old the Burlington. He was cared for and | man, thought it looked as though there was something wrong at the old man's man were found in the cellar. It is supposed that it is a case of suicide. for the old man was in destitute cir-

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